

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jerrell P. Hein et al.

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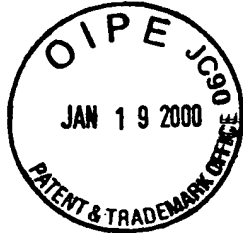
For: Separation of Ring Detection Functions Across Isolation Barrier for Minimum Power

Serial No.: 09/034,453

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

Pursuant to 1.97 (c) and 1.97(e)(2), a certification is hereby provided by the undersigned that no item of information contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign office in a counterpart foreign application or, to the knowledge of the undersigned after reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated under Rule 56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

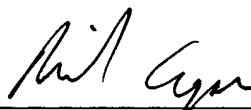
The present Information and Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Deposit Account No. 10-1205.

Copies of the listed documents are attached as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

If an appropriate check has not been enclosed, or if it is insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fee from O'Keefe, Egan & Peterman Deposit Account No. 10-1205/SILA:019.

Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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